

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 199
Nays 224

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[Roll No. 523]

YEAS—199

Abercrombie	Gutierrez	Nadler
Ackerman	Hall (OH)	Neal
Allen	Hamilton	Oberstar
Andrews	Harman	Obey
Baessler	Hastings (FL)	Oliver
Baldacci	Hefner	Ortiz
Barcia	Hilliard	Owens
Barrett (WI)	Hinchey	Pallone
Becerra	Hinojosa	Pascarell
Bentsen	Holden	Pastor
Berry	Hooley	Payne
Bishop	Hoyer	Pelosi
Blagojevich	Jackson (IL)	Pickett
Blumenauer	Jackson-Lee	Pomeroy
Bonior	(TX)	Poshard
Borski	Jefferson	Price (NC)
Boswell	John	Rahall
Boucher	Johnson (CT)	Rangel
Boyd	Johnson (WI)	Reyes
Brown (CA)	Johnson, E. B.	Rivers
Brown (FL)	Kanjorski	Rodriguez
Brown (OH)	Kaptur	Roemer
Cardin	Kennedy (MA)	Rothman
Carson	Kennedy (RI)	Roybal-Allard
Clay	Kennelly	Rush
Clayton	Kildee	Sanchez
Clement	Kilpatrick	Sanders
Clyburn	Kind (WI)	Sandlin
Condit	Klecza	Sawyer
Conyers	Klink	Schumer
Costello	Kucinich	Scott
Coyne	LaFalce	Serrano
Cramer	Lampson	Sherman
Cummings	Lantos	Sisisky
Danner	Levin	Skaggs
Davis (FL)	Lewis (GA)	Skelton
Davis (IL)	Lofgren	Slaughter
DeFazio	Lowe	Smith, Adam
DeGette	Luther	Snyder
Delahunt	Maloney (CT)	Spratt
DeLauro	Maloney (NY)	Stabenow
Dellums	Manton	Stark
Deutsch	Markley	Stenholm
Dicks	Martinez	Stokes
Dingell	Mascara	Strickland
Dixon	Matsui	Stupak
Doggett	McCarthy (MO)	Tanner
Dooley	McCarthy (NY)	Tauscher
Doyle	McDermott	Taylor (MS)
Edwards	McGovern	Thompson
Engel	McHale	Thurman
Eshoo	McHugh	Tierney
Etheridge	McIntyre	Torres
Evans	McKinney	Towns
Farr	McNulty	Trafficant
Fattah	Meehan	Turner
Fazio	Meek	Velazquez
Filner	Menendez	Vento
Ford	Millender	Waters
Frank (MA)	McDonald	Watt (NC)
Frost	Miller (CA)	Waxman
Furse	Minge	Wexler
Gejdenson	Mink	Weygand
Gephardt	Moakley	Wise
Goode	Mollohan	Woolsey
Gordon	Moran (VA)	Wynn
Green	Murtha	Yates

NAYS—224

Aderholt	Bonilla	Coble
Archer	Bono	Coburn
Armey	Brady	Collins
Bachus	Bryant	Combest
Baker	Bunning	Cook
Ballenger	Burr	Cooksey
Barr	Burton	Cox
Barrett (NE)	Buyer	Crane
Bartlett	Callahan	Crapo
Barton	Calvert	Cunningham
Bass	Camp	Davis (VA)
Bateman	Campbell	Deal
Bereuter	Canady	DeLay
Bilbray	Cannon	Diaz-Balart
Bilirakis	Castle	Dickey
Bliley	Chabot	Doolittle
Blunt	Chambliss	Dreier
Boehlert	Chenoweth	Duncan
Boehner	Christensen	Dunn

Ehlers	Knollenberg	Rogan
Ehrlich	Kolbe	Rogers
Emerson	LaHood	Rohrabacher
English	Largent	Ros-Lehtinen
Ensign	Latham	Roukema
Everett	LaTourette	Royce
Ewing	Lazio	Ryun
Fawell	Leach	Sabo
Foley	Lewis (CA)	Salmon
Forbes	Lewis (KY)	Sanford
Fowler	Linder	Saxton
Fox	Lipinski	Scarborough
Franks (NJ)	Livingston	Schaefer, Dan
Frelinghuysen	LoBiondo	Schaffer, Bob
Gallegly	Lucas	Sensenbrenner
Ganske	Manzullo	Sessions
Gekas	McCollum	Shadegg
Gibbons	McCrery	Shaw
Gilchrist	McDade	Shays
Gillmor	McInnis	Shimkus
Gilman	McKeon	Shuster
Goodlatte	Metcalf	Skeen
Goodling	Mica	Smith (MI)
Goss	Miller (FL)	Smith (NJ)
Graham	Moran (KS)	Smith (OR)
Granger	Morella	Smith (TX)
Greenwood	Myrick	Smith, Linda
Gutknecht	Nethercutt	Snowbarger
Hall (TX)	Neumann	Solomon
Hansen	Ney	Souder
Hastert	Northup	Spence
Hastings (WA)	Norwood	Stearns
Hayworth	Nussle	Stump
Hefley	Oxley	Sununu
Herger	Packard	Talent
Hill	Pappas	Tauzin
Hilleary	Parker	Taylor (NC)
Hobson	Paul	Thomas
Hoekstra	Paxon	Thornberry
Horn	Pease	Thune
Hostettler	Peterson (MN)	Tiahrt
Hulshof	Peterson (PA)	Upton
Hunter	Petri	Walsh
Hutchinson	Pickering	Wamp
Hyde	Pitts	Watkins
Inglis	Pombo	Watts (OK)
Istook	Porter	Weldon (FL)
Jenkins	Portman	Weldon (PA)
Johnson, Sam	Pryce (OH)	Weller
Jones	Quinn	White
Kasich	Radanovich	Whitfield
Kasich	Ramstad	Wicker
Kim	Redmond	Wolf
King (NY)	Regula	Young (AK)
Kingston	Riggs	Young (FL)
Klug	Riley	

NOT VOTING—10

Berman	Foglietta	Schiff
Capps	Gonzalez	Visclosky
Cubin	Houghton	
Flake	McIntosh	

So the amendment was not agreed to.
The previous question having been ordered by said resolution.

The bill, as amended, was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. FOLEY, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. RANGEL demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas 230
affirmative { Nays 198

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[Roll No. 524]

YEAS—230

Aderholt	Barton	Boehner
Archer	Bass	Bonilla
Armey	Bereuter	Bono
Bachus	Bilbray	Boyd
Baker	Bilirakis	Brady
Ballenger	Bishop	Bryant
Barr	Bliley	Bunning
Bartlett	Blunt	Burr

Burton	Hastert	Pombo
Buyer	Hastings (WA)	Porter
Callahan	Hayworth	Portman
Calvert	Hefley	Pryce (OH)
Camp	Herger	Quinn
Campbell	Hill	Radanovich
Canady	Hilleary	Ramstad
Cannon	Hobson	Redmond
Castle	Hoekstra	Regula
Chabot	Horn	Riggs
Chambliss	Hostettler	Riley
Chenoweth	Hulshof	Rogan
Christensen	Hunter	Rogers
Clement	Hutchinson	Rohrabacher
Coble	Hyde	Ros-Lehtinen
Coburn	Inglis	Roukema
Collins	Istook	Royce
Combest	Jenkins	Ryun
Condit	Johnson, Sam	Salmon
Cook	Jones	Sanford
Cooksey	Kasich	Saxton
Cox	Kelly	Scarborough
Crane	Kim	Schaefer, Dan
Crapo	King (NY)	Schaffer, Bob
Cunningham	Kingston	Sensenbrenner
Danner	Klug	Sessions
Davis (VA)	Knollenberg	Shadegg
Deal	Kolbe	Shaw
DeLay	LaHood	Shays
Diaz-Balart	Largent	Shimkus
Dickey	Latham	Shuster
Doolittle	LaTourette	Skeen
Dreier	Lazio	Smith (MI)
Duncan	Leach	Smith (NJ)
Dunn	Lewis (CA)	Smith (OR)
Ehlers	Lewis (KY)	Smith (TX)
Ehrlich	Linder	Smith, Linda
Emerson	Lipinski	Snowbarger
English	Livingston	Solomon
Ensign	Lucas	Souder
Everett	Manzullo	Spence
Ewing	McCollum	Stearns
Fawell	McCrery	Stump
Flake	McDade	Sununu
Foley	McHale	Talent
Forbes	McInnis	Tanner
Fowler	McKeon	Tauscher
Fox	Metcalf	Tauzin
Franks (NJ)	Mica	Taylor (MS)
Frelinghuysen	Miller (FL)	Taylor (NC)
Gallegly	Moran (KS)	Thomas
Ganske	Moran (VA)	Thornberry
Gekas	Myrick	Thune
Gibbons	Nethercutt	Tiahrt
Gilchrist	Neumann	Upton
Gillmor	Ney	Walsh
Gilman	Northup	Wamp
Gingrich	Norwood	Watkins
Goode	Nussle	Watts (OK)
Goodlatte	Oxley	Weldon (FL)
Goodling	Packard	Weldon (PA)
Goss	Pappas	Weller
Graham	Parker	White
Granger	Paxon	Whitfield
Greenwood	Pease	Wicker
Gutknecht	Peterson (PA)	Wolf
Hall (OH)	Petri	Young (AK)
Hall (TX)	Pickering	Young (FL)
Hansen	Pitts	

NAYS—198

Abercrombie	Clyburn	Foglietta
Ackerman	Conyers	Ford
Allen	Costello	Frank (MA)
Andrews	Coyne	Frost
Baessler	Cramer	Furse
Baldacci	Cummings	Gejdenson
Barcia	Davis (FL)	Gephardt
Barrett (NE)	Davis (IL)	Gordon
Barrett (WI)	DeFazio	Green
Bateman	DeGette	Gutierrez
Becerra	Delahunt	Hamilton
Bentsen	DeLauro	Harman
Berman	Dellums	Hastings (FL)
Berry	Deutsch	Hefner
Blagojevich	Dicks	Hilliard
Blumenauer	Dingell	Hinchey
Boehlert	Dixon	Hinojosa
Bonior	Doggett	Holden
Borski	Dooley	Hooley
Boswell	Doyle	Hoyer
Boucher	Edwards	Jackson (IL)
Brown (CA)	Engel	Jackson-Lee
Brown (FL)	Eshoo	(TX)
Brown (OH)	Etheridge	Jefferson
Capps	Evans	John
Cardin	Farr	Johnson (CT)
Carson	Fattah	Johnson (WI)
Clay	Fazio	Johnson, E. B.
Clayton	Filner	Kanjorski

Kaptur	Millender-	Sanders
Kennedy (MA)	McDonald	Sandlin
Kennedy (RI)	Miller (CA)	Sawyer
Kennelly	Minge	Schumer
Kildee	Mink	Scott
Kilpatrick	Moakley	Serrano
Kind (WI)	Mollohan	Sherman
Klecza	Morella	Sisisky
Klink	Murtha	Skaggs
Kucinich	Nadler	Skelton
LaFalce	Neal	Slaughter
Lampson	Oberstar	Smith, Adam
Lantos	Obey	Snyder
Levin	Olver	Spratt
Lewis (GA)	Ortiz	Stabenow
LoBiondo	Owens	Stark
Lofgren	Pallone	Stenholm
Lowe	Pascrell	Stokes
Luther	Pastor	Strickland
Maloney (CT)	Paul	Stupak
Maloney (NY)	Payne	Thompson
Manton	Pelosi	Thurman
Markey	Peterson (MN)	Tierney
Martinez	Pickett	Torres
Mascara	Pomeroy	Towns
Matsui	Poshard	Trafficant
McCarthy (MO)	Price (NC)	Turner
McCarthy (NY)	Rahall	Velazquez
McDermott	Rangel	Vento
McGovern	Reyes	Waters
McHugh	Rivers	Watt (NC)
McIntyre	Rodriguez	Waxman
McKinney	Roemer	Wexler
McNulty	Rothman	Weygand
Meehan	Roybal-Allard	Wise
Meek	Rush	Woolsey
Menendez	Sabo	Wynn
	Sanchez	Yates

NOT VOTING—6

Cubin	Houghton	Schiff
Gonzalez	McIntosh	Visclosky

So the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶119.14 SUBMISSION OF CONFERENCE REPORT—H.R. 1119

Mr. SPENCE submitted a conference report (Rept. No. 105-340) on the bill (H.R. 1119) to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes; together with a statement thereon, for printing in the Record under the rule.

¶119.15 PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. GEPHARDT rose to a question of the privileges of the House and submitted the following resolution (H. Res. 276):

Whereas, Loretta Sanchez was issued a certificate of election as the duly elected Member of Congress from the 46th District of California by the Secretary of State of California and was seated by the U.S. House of Representatives on January 7, 1997; and

Whereas A Notice of Contest of Election was filed with the Clerk of the House by Mr. Robert Dornan on December 26, 1996; and

Whereas the Task Force on the Contested Election in the 46th district of California met on February 26, 1997 in Washington, D.C. on April 19, 1997 in Orange County, California and has not met since that time; and

Whereas the allegations made by Mr. Robert Dornan have been largely found to be without merit: charges of improper voting from a business, rather than a resident address; underage voting; double voting; and charges of unusually large number of individuals voting from the same address. It was found that voting from the same address included a Marines barracks and the domicile

of nuns, that business addresses were legal residences for the individuals, including the zoo keeper of the Santa Ana zoo, that duplicate voting was by different individuals and those accused of underage voting were of age; and

Whereas the Committee on House Oversight has issued unprecedented subpoenas to the Immigration and Naturalization Service to compare their records with Orange County voter registration records, the first time in any election in the history of the United States that the INS has been asked by Congress to verify the citizenship of voters; and

Whereas the INS has complied with the Committee's request and, at the Committee's request, has been doing a manual check of its paper files and providing worksheets containing supplemental information on that manual check to the Committee on House Oversight for over five months; and

Whereas the Committee on House Oversight, subpoenaed the records seized by the District Attorney of Orange County on February 13, 1997 and has received and reviewed all records pertaining to registration efforts of that group; and

Whereas some Members of the House Oversight Committee are now seeking a duplicate and dilatory review of materials already in the Committee's possession by the Secretary of State of California; and

Whereas the Task Force on the Contested Election in the 46th district of California and the Committee have been reviewing these materials and has all the information it needs regarding who voted in the 46th district and all the information it needs to make judgments concerning those votes; and

Whereas the Committee on House Oversight has after over nine months of review and investigation failed to present credible evidence to change the outcome of the election of Congresswoman Sanchez and is pursuing never ending and unsubstantiated areas of review; and

Whereas, Contestant Robert Dornan has not shown or provided credible evidence that the outcome of the election is other than Congresswoman Sanchez's election to the Congress; and

Whereas, the Committee on House Oversight should complete its review of this matter and bring this contest to an end and now therefore be it;

Resolved, That unless the Committee on House Oversight has sooner reported a recommendation for its final disposition, the contest in the 46th District of California is dismissed upon the expiration of October 29, 1997.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, ruled that the resolution submitted did present a question of the privileges of the House having immediate precedence under rule IX, and recognized Mr. GEPHARDT and Mr. THOMAS for thirty minutes each.

After debate,

On motion of Mr. GEPHARDT, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, announced that the nays had it.

Mr. GEPHARDT demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the negative

Yeas	204
Nays	222
Answered present	1

¶119.16

[Roll No. 525]

YEAS—204

Abercrombie	Goode	Murtha
Ackerman	Gordon	Nadler
Allen	Green	Neal
Andrews	Gutierrez	Oberstar
Baesler	Hall (OH)	Obey
Baldacci	Hall (TX)	Olver
Barcia	Hamilton	Ortiz
Barrett (WI)	Harman	Owens
Becerra	Hastings (FL)	Pallone
Bentsen	Hefner	Pascrell
Berman	Hilliard	Pastor
Berry	Hinche	Payne
Bishop	Hinojosa	Pelosi
Blagojevich	Holden	Peterson (MN)
Blumenauer	Hooley	Pickett
Bonior	Hoyer	Pomeroy
Borski	Jackson (IL)	Poshard
Boswell	Jackson-Lee	Price (NC)
Boucher	(TX)	Rahall
Boyd	Jefferson	Rangel
Brown (CA)	John	Reyes
Brown (FL)	Johnson (WI)	Rivers
Brown (OH)	Johnson, E. B.	Rodriguez
Capps	Kanjorski	Roemer
Cardin	Kaptur	Rothman
Carson	Kennedy (MA)	Roybal-Allard
Clay	Kennedy (RI)	Rush
Clayton	Kennelly	Sabo
Clement	Kildee	Sanders
Clyburn	Kilpatrick	Sandlin
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Costello	Klink	Scott
Coyne	Kucinich	Serrano
Cramer	LaFalce	Sherman
Cummings	Lampson	Sisisky
Danner	Lantos	Skaggs
Davis (FL)	Levin	Skelton
Davis (IL)	Lewis (GA)	Slaughter
DeFazio	Lipinski	Smith, Adam
DeGette	Lofgren	Snyder
Delahunt	Lowe	Spratt
DeLauro	Luther	Stabenow
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Dingell	Markey	Strickland
Dixon	Martinez	Stupak
Doggett	Mascara	Tanner
Dooley	Matsui	Tauscher
Doyle	McCarthy (MO)	Taylor (MS)
Edwards	McCarthy (NY)	Thompson
Engel	McDermott	Thurman
Eshoo	McGovern	Tierney
Etheridge	McHale	Torres
Evans	McIntyre	Towns
Farr	McKinney	Turner
Fattah	McNulty	Velazquez
Fazio	Meehan	Vento
Filner	Meek	Waters
Flake	Menendez	Watt (NC)
Foglietta	Millender-	Waxman
Forbes	McDonald	Wexler
Ford	Miller (CA)	Weygand
Frank (MA)	Minge	Wise
Frost	Mink	Woolsey
Furse	Moakley	Wynn
Gejdenson	Mollohan	Yates
Gephardt	Moran (VA)	

NAYS—222

Aderholt	Bono	Collins
Archer	Brady	Combest
Armey	Bryant	Cook
Bachus	Bunning	Cooksey
Baker	Burr	Cox
Ballenger	Burton	Crane
Barr	Buyer	Crapo
Barrett (NE)	Callahan	Cunningham
Bartlett	Calvert	Davis (VA)
Barton	Camp	Deal
Bass	Campbell	DeLay
Bateman	Canady	Diaz-Balart
Bereuter	Cannon	Dickey
Bilbray	Castle	Doolittle
Bilirakis	Chabot	Dreier
Bliley	Chambliss	Duncan
Blunt	Chenoweth	Dunn
Boehlert	Christensen	Ehlers
Boehner	Coble	Ehrlich
Bonilla	Coburn	Emerson